

REQUEST FOR FILING A PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)  
Attorney Docket: 056205.52950C1

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b), of pending prior application:

Serial No. 10/478,352

Filed on November 21, 2003

Of Shiro Yamaoka et al.

Entitled: COMPRESSION IGNITION INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Group: Not Yet Assigned

X 1. Accompanying this order is a new specification that does not contain any subject matter that would have been new matter in the prior application.

Total pages of specification, claims and abstract: 51

X 2. New Formal drawings are being filed herewith consisting of 22 sheet(s), depicting Figures 1-23.

X 3. Declaration and Power of Attorney:

a. — Newly executed (original or copy)

b. X Copy from prior application

i. — Deletion of Inventors - signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application

X 4. Incorporation by Reference:

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 3b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

- 5. Small entity status:
- A small entity statement is enclosed
  - A statement of small entity status (copy attached) was filed on \_\_ in the prior application and status as a small entity is still proper and desired.
  - Is no longer claimed
6. The filing fee is calculated below:

**CLAIMS AS FILED, INCLUDING ANY CLAIMS  
CANCELLED OR ADDED BY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Basic Fee		\$385	\$770	
Total Claims	5	- 20 = 0	x 9 = \$0.00	18 = \$00.00
Ind. Claims	1	- 3 = 0	x 43 = \$0.00	86 = 00.00
		Multiple Dependent Claims + 145 = \$	290 = \$	
		Total	\$	\$770.00

- 7. Please charge my Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #\_\_\_) in the amount of \$\_\_\_.
8. A check in the amount of \$770.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
9. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #056205.52950US).
10. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This application is a continuation/division of application Serial No. 10/472,352, filed November 21, 2003--
11. Priority of Appln. No(s). PCT/JP01/04271, filed in Japan on May 22, 2001, is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.
- 12. A certified copy of each said priority document was filed in application Serial No. \_\_ on \_\_.
13. The prior application is assigned of record to Hitachi, Ltd..
14. The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

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- a. The power appears in the original application papers in the prior application.
- b. Since the power does not appear in the original application papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- c. Attached is a duplicate of a Supplemental Declaration which was filed in the prior application to overcome informalities.
- d. Address all future correspondence to:

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- 15. Copies of Form PTO-1449 listing prior art made of record in the prior application are attached. A copy of each of the listed references should be available in the prior application file.
- 16. Return Receipt Postcard.
- 17. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Respectfully submitted,

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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$ 770.00)**Complete if Known**

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First Named Inventor	Shiro YAMAOKA
Examiner Name	Not Yet Assigned
Art Unit	Not Yet Assigned
Attorney Docket No.	056205.52950C1

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Deposit Account Number	05-1323
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- Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application.
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**FEE CALCULATION** (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	
1051 130	2051 65	Surcharge – late filing fee or oath	
1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge – late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805 1,840	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251 110	2251 55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252 420	2252 210	Extension for reply within second month	
1253 950	2253 475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254 1,480	2254 740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
770	1255 2,010	1,005 Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 330	2401 165	Notice of Appeal	
1402 330	2402 165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403 290	2403 145	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452 110	2452 55	Petition to revive – unavoidable	
770	1453 1,330	665 Petition to revive – unintentional	
1501 1,330	2501 665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502 480	2502 240	Design issue fee	
1503 640	2503 320	Plant issue fee	
1406 130	1460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807 50	1807 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806 180	1806 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021 40	8021 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809 770	2809 385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810 770	2810 385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801 770	2801 385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802 900	1802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) _____			
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